

We wish to thank our friends and patrons for favors shown and extend to each one our best wishes for a

MERRY CHRISTMAS E. J. JENKINS

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE

Dixie tonight
Ed Salley of Hearne is spending the holidays in Bryan.

Mrs. W. Schorm left for Georgetown to visit Mrs. G. F. Reed.

Kyle Owens went to Houston yesterday to spend Christmas.

Colonial vaudeville three days, three shows daily; 25c, 35c and 50c.

Haine Johnson is spending Christmas with his mother in Navasota.

Master Oscar Gregg went to Austin today to visit relatives in that city.

Singer sewing machines, T. A. Satterwhite, salesman. Phone 560.

Mrs. T. Stockton of Malone is a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. G. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dunlap left for Houston to visit relatives in that city.

J. H. Park of Mexia is the guest of his sister, Mrs. O. B. Love of this city.

L. M. Hewitt has returned from a business trip to Giddings and Brenham.

Derden Chance's act in the Colonial vaudeville bill is a "scream." Don't miss it.

Miss Hazel Delman of Saratoga is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Richardson.

Mrs. Arthur Moore of Austin is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. N. Cole, during the holidays.

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DIXIE THEATRE

GRAND XMAS BILL TONIGHT 6:30 TO 11:00
1. Through the Keyhole.....Another Cute Kalem Comedy
2. The Girl from the West.....The next "Beloved Adventurer"
3. The Loose Change of Chance.....Beautiful Beverly Bayne
4. A Scrap of Paper.....Special Biography from the Book
5. A Scrap of Paper.....with an all star Klaw and Erlanger
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**TOMORROW'S SPECIAL XMAS MASTERPIECE
THE CELEBRATED INTERNATIONAL ACTRESS
MME BERTHA KALICH IN
"MARTA OF THE LOWLANDS"**

Good evening—
MERRY CHRISTMAS
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Everything Electrical

HALL-KOPPE.

Mr. J. W. Hall of this city and Miss Marta Koppe of Kurten were united in marriage last night, Rev. Thompson officiating. A more extended notice will appear tomorrow.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER

Beard & Crenshaw to A. C. Stark, 100 acres of land in the M. Langham survey in Brazos County; consideration, \$600.

DEATH OF MRS. W. D. SELLARS.

One of Brazos County's Most Estimable Women Passed Away.

Death under any condition is always an unwelcome visitor. Life and hope and love are very sweet to us all and we never come to the place in our lives where our frail natures are willing to say goodbye to those who make up this life and hope and love in our lives, and the saddest and most trying of all the ordeals of life is when we are called upon for this separation, and especially is it sad and trying when the one that is called to go is that sweetest and best of all the personages of this earth—mother! Then doubly sad and trying is the ordeal when this mother is a widow on whom the lives and welfare of helpless children had to depend. Our poor words would fail us if we were to try to tell of the desolation of a home where the life and light of a widowed mother had gone out from that home forever. Such are the conditions that surround the home that Mrs. W. D. Sellars left on Christmas eve morning at 5 o'clock at Harvey. Just as the whole world had regaled itself for the festivities and pleasures of the happiest day in the whole year, her sweet sainted spirit was called home to be with God. A sadder death never has it been the duty of this writer to chronicle. Two single daughters, one of them just blooming into young womanhood, and two young sons, one well into his teens and the other of more tender years, to either of whose lives a mother's love and care are absolutely necessary, and why is it that she has to be taken away when everyone else could be done without so much more easily, is hard for us to understand, but as sure as God lives, He is all wise and all good, and if we believe in Him as such a being, then we are compelled to believe that what He does is for our good. Then there are only two things for us to do—take Him at His word and submit to His will.

Mrs. W. D. Sellars died at her home at Harvey at 5 o'clock, December 23, 1914. She had pneumonia and was sick less than a week. She was 47 years old, was born and reared in the community in which she died, having lived there all her life. She was a

COLONIAL THEATRE

**DECEMBER 24TH, 25TH AND 26TH
VAUDEVILLE**

5—BIG ACTS—5
Three Performances Daily—Afternoon 3 O'clock,
Night 7:30 and 9
PRICES
Matinees.....25 cents and 35 cents
Night.....35 cents and 50 cents

daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kincannon and the wife of the late W. D. Sellars, who preceded her some five or six years. This was when her children were small and helpless, and no mother ever made a braver fight with the difficulties with which she had to contend. She leaves five children to mourn her loss. They are as follows: Miss Bertha Sellars of Bryan, Mrs. Will Raines of Harvey, Ethel, Marvin and Robert, who lived at home with their mother. She leaves several brothers and sisters, among whom are James Kincannon of Harvey and Mrs. S. I. Dowling of near Wellborn. She was a life long member of the Baptist Church, and a more consecrated, consistent Christian is not to be found. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock at old Bethel cemetery, Rev. Sam Thomas will pronounce the funeral rites.

The Eagle joins with the many friends in the deepest sympathy for these young daughters and sons in this their greatest bereavement, and join in this prayer, that the tender mercies of a loving Father may be with them, that even in this dark hour they may not be forsaken nor forgotten.

A. W. B.

AT THE COLONIAL.

The vaudeville attraction billed to appear at the Colonial Theatre December 24, 25 and 26 has thoroughly supported the good judgment of the management and is proving quite an interesting attraction. The Hampton Trio, composed of three well trained male voices, has made quite a hit in their singing of the latest songs, while Madeline and Miller, in their clever Jewish sketch entitled "The Actress and the Janitor," have won an enviable amount of applause from those who have been so fortunate as to see them. The third on the bill is Linda Mae Rochelle and her singing of the latest songs in a clear musical voice has won her way to the hearts of those attending. But probably the feature of most interest to the people of Bryan is the act of Harrison and Chance in "A Ton and a Half of Coal," with Harrison as the ton and Derden Chance as the half. Everyone knows that Derden has wonderful ability from his work here with the Elks' minstrels, but he is demonstrating beyond the shadow of a doubt that he has ability beyond the fondest dreams of his friends, while Harrison carries his part like the true veteran. Last but not least on the bill is the De Costa Duo in a novelty musical act on the xylophone, which many say to be the best of its kind ever seen in Bryan, and is proving quite an interesting attraction. In fact, those who miss the chance of seeing this high class vaudeville will miss the treat of their life and will regret it when their friends tell them about it.

Three performances daily—3 p. m., 7:30 p. m. and 9 p. m. Matinee, 25c and 35c; nights, 25c and 50c.

CHRISTMAS TREE AT COLLEGE FOR CHILDREN AND CADETS

At 7:30 o'clock last night the campus people and their children and the cadets who remained over for the holidays gathered in the new Y. M. C. A. building. The handsome lobby was beautifully decorated and the lighting effect was one of the most beautiful ever seen. A concert was rendered in which the children took part, and was a delight to all present. Santa Claus then appeared on the scene and led the joyous little ones and the happy older folks into the new chapel of the Y. M. C. A. In this magnificent room was a beautiful Christmas tree loaded with toys, candy and presents for all those present. After the presents had been distributed turkey salad and coconuts were served.

The affair was a grand success and brought happiness to the hearts of the cadets who cannot be in their own homes to enjoy the comforts and joys of Christmas.

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